

City of Westmorland

REPORT TO City Council

MEETING DATE: February 19, 2025

FROM: Ramiro Barajas, PWD

SUBJECT: Authorize the repairs and/or replacement of a valve at the south effluent pond at the Water Treatment Plant in an amount not to exceed \$26,000.

ISSUE:

Shall the City Council Authorize the repairs and/or replacement of a valve at the south effluent pond at the Water Treatment Plant in an amount not to exceed \$26,000?

GENERAL MANAGER'S RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the City Council Authorize the repairs and/or replacement of a valve at the south effluent pond at the Water Treatment Plant in an amount not to exceed \$26,000.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Funding source will be the Water Fund Capital Improvement Account 510-00-6246 Maintenance and Repairs.

DISCUSSION:

The valve is a 24-year-old 12" effluent gate valve located under water in the south pond. Staff needs to replace the valve and relocate it. Staff wants to connect the valve to an existing 12" standpipe located next to the pond, but the stand pipe needs some repairs prior to installation of the valve. The total cost for parts and labor to replace and relocate the valve is estimated at. \$26,000.

A couple of months ago, Council authorized the replacement of a valve at the influent gate in the south pond. Staff has ordered the valve and will replace that valve as soon as parts arrive. This is the effluent valve and must be replaced as soon as possible.

CONCLUSION:

Staff recommends that the Council authorize the repairs and/or replacement of a valve at the south effluent pond at the Water Treatment Plant in an amount not to exceed \$26,000.

Respectfully Submitted,

Ramiro Barajas
Manager